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SAFFORD COMPANY MAKING PROGRESS

Guns Have Been Received and Men Instructed in Manual of Arms

TARGET PRACTICE SUNDAY

Company Will Attend Services Sunday Morning at the Union Church

The Safford company is making excellent progress in the manual of arms and in a short time will be able to put up a creditable exhibition for the benefit of the public.

The company will meet Sunday morning, April 2d, at 10:00 o'clock to attend services at the Union Church.

Authority has been received from the Adjutant General to attend target practice and next Sunday afternoon the men will start target practice on the range near the cemetery.

Charges and specifications have been preferred against two members for failure to attend drill. The men should read Section 81 of the Military Code, and note the penalty for failure to attend drills.

A perfect company cannot be formed without each member attending regularly.

Order No. 4

1. The following acting noncommissioned officers are appointed to take rank from this date and will be obeyed and respected accordingly:

Acting Quartermaster Sergeant, R. W. Smith.

Acting Sergeants, J. W. Baker, Fred Jacobson, N. E. Swanger and A. D. Warnock.

Acting Corporal, Wm. J. Hudson, J. F. Swift, Bruce McLaughlin, Carl Schroeder and Bernard Freudenthal.

Artificer, Charles Krueger.

Chief Packer, Harry Solomon.

In charge of kitchen detail, George Barney.

2. Squad drill will be inaugurated at once, as per Order No. 3.

3. The lieutenants will have supervision of all drills.

4. Lieutenant Ijams is detailed as Officer of the Day and placed in charge of the guards on duty at the Armory at night. He will see that no unauthorized persons are in the Armory after the company is dismissed and will see that no liquor is taken into the Armory at any time.

5. The Company Clerk, John F. Weber, will arrange for necessary blanks for issue of individual equipment to the men.

E. H. ROACH,
Captain of Infantry, A. N. G.

Memorandum

1. Number 4 front rank man of each squad (acting corporal) will make a note of the address, residence and business of each man in his squad, in duplicate, keeping one copy and turning one copy to the first sergeant.

2. The first sergeant will secure the name and address of each musician and the artificer and will arrange these names and addresses with those turned in by the sergeants and corporals in record form, keeping one copy for reference and turning one to the commanding officer.

3. R. W. Smith will act as quartermaster sergeant, vice Lieutenant Geo. S. Martin, promoted to Medical Corps.

E. H. ROACH,
Captain of Infantry, A. N. G.

AN ENJOYABLE DANCE

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Safford Volunteer Fire Department gave a most enjoyable dance at the Armory Saturday night. The dance proved to be the biggest held this season, over a hundred couples enjoying the mazes of the waltz and two-step. The financial returns were very satisfactory and will add materially to the payment of the new truck.

MARTIN APPOINTED

Governor Hunt has appointed Dr. George S. Martin a member of the Medical Reserve Corps, Arizona National Guard, with rank of first lieutenant. Lieutenant Martin will examine all recruits for the local company and the recruits for war service.

TEACHERS' MEETING

Interesting Papers Read at Monthly Function at High School Building

Friday evening, the regular monthly teacher's meeting of Safford teachers, was held at the High School building, at which time as is customary at these meetings, two most excellent papers were read. Miss Crawford's paper was a very able treatise on the works of Longfellow, Whittier, Lowell and Holmes; while Miss Moss gave a valuable discussion of the oratory of Webster, Lincoln, Calhoun and Summer.

This year the teachers chose as a subject for study, "American Literature." The entire corps have taken part in this work, two teachers being preparad with a paper at each meeting. After the papers have been read, the subject is opened for discussion and some very interesting and helpful points have been brought out.

The teachers have taken up this study that they may not only improve themselves, but also that they may make themselves more efficient in the schools by the better application of their knowledge.

The next regular meeting will be held Friday evening, April 21st., at the home of Mrs. McAlister, at which time the subject for next year's study hour will be voted upon. It is likely that the subject for next year will be along some professional line, such as pedagogy, psychology or child study; because the teachers feel that work of this kind, on their part, will probably be of more value to the school.

The members of the board of education are always present at these meetings, which is greatly appreciated by the teachers, and which materially strengthens the organization of our schools. The first part of each meeting is given over entirely to business management, at which time the board of education brings before the teachers many matter of importance; and the teachers themselves discuss ways and means of making their service more efficient. Such subjects as these have had a prominent place:

Entertainment for Pleasure and Amusement.

The Teacher's Study Hour for Mutual Benefit and School Progress.

Sanitation of Drinking Fountains and Ventilation.

Building of a School Library.

Control of Tardiness and Absence.

Special Disciplinary Problems.

Better Spelling and Reading.

Proper Assignment and Explanation of Work.

School Athletics.

School Exhibits and Parents' Meetings.

Care of School Property.

The study hour program for this school year, is as follows:

American Literature

Mr. Hibner—The Teaching of Literature.

Miss La Vaque—The Drama in American Literature.

Mr. Walker—Colonial Period in American Literature.

Mr. Everett—The Revolutionary in American Literature.

Miss Parmateer—The Transition Period—Prose Fiction.

Mrs. Dawson—The Romance in American Literature.

Miss Haulot—The New Movement in Creed and Philosophy.

Miss Lott—The Followers of the New Movement in Creed and Philosophy.

Miss Moss—National Life and Culture—Slavery and Oratory.

Miss Crawford—The American Poetry.

Mrs. Roach—American Prose—Walt Whitman, Taylor and Warner.

Mr. Swift—Song Writers.

Miss Turney—Later Activity—Contemporary.

Miss Cosgrove—The American Humor and Humorists.

Miss Church—Longfellow.

Academy Band Serenades Town

The Academy Band, under the leadership of Prof. Payne, came to town yesterday morning and serenaded the principal business places.

The boys show marked improvement and play well together and their music was greatly enjoyed by a large number of people.

Burial caskets carried in stock by Gila Valley Furniture and Hardware Store. tf

Western Motor Oils Are the Best

"Why do motor oils made from asphalt-base crude give best results, especially in the matter of carbon deposits?" asked B. F. Golding, of the Standard Oil Company, repeating the question put to him by a GRAHAM GUARDIAN representative yesterday.

"Well, it's a rather technical subject for the ordinary citizen," said Mr. Golding, but as our friends, the chemists, would say, oil made from asphalt-base crude 'vaporizes and distills without decomposition.'

"In everyday language that means that oil which gets into the explosion chamber does not break up under the intense heat and leave a deposit to gradually bake hard on cylinder walls and valves, and catch and hold carbon derived from the motor fuel.

"Oil derived from asphalt-base crude maintains its correct lubricating body until its work is completed and then passes off with the exhaust, leaving a clean cylinder.

"It simply amounts to this—nature has given asphalt-base crude a different and more advantageous chemical construction, as far as producing good motor oils is concerned. And when this oil is correctly refined, naturally it gives the motorist better results."

Preparedness Is Becoming Popular

The citizens of the United States, outside of military organizations, are evidently taking the talk of preparedness seriously, as reports are being received from every section of the country showing the formation of rifle clubs, organized for the purpose of training citizens as marksmen.

This shows that the spirit of the American pioneers is still in the breast of all Americans and if given sufficient time, the American nation, as a nation, will soon be recoganized as a shooting nation, as it was in the days prior to the Civil War.

Rifle clubs in Arizona are being organized at Phoenix, Ft. Thomas, Pima and Thatcher.

It is hoped to form a State organization of these clubs and that a State trophy will be arranged for competition by representatives from the military company and it is believed that the best shots in the State can be developed here.

Advertise in THE GUARDIAN.

Eugene Evans Elected Trustee

The election for public school trustee was held Saturday. There were three candidates in the field when the polls opened, but the election passed off very quietly.

The election board announced the following result of their canvass of the votes:

Eugene Evans	45
W. R. Reed	23
Geo. A. Foote	17
Total	85

Mr. Evans was declared elected for the ensuing term of three years.

Mrs. Sena Kempton, wife of Mark Kempton, was taken to Miami Hospital, Miami, Saturday evening, to undergo an operation for appendicitis. The operation was successfully performed Sunday morning by Dr. Bacon and Mrs. Kempton is reported getting along nicely.

Mrs. E. W. Clayton entertained the Tuesday Club at her home on Eleventh street, Tuesday afternoon. Refreshments of pineapple sundae, cake and coffee were served.

J. J. Torpey, former editor of the Bulletin, left Friday for his home in Denver, Colo.

Millinery Goods

A new line of Spring Millinery Goods, Easter Hats and Easter Dresses, in latest Eastern Styles, KRUPP'S STORE, Safford. adv-7-2t

The Aches of House Cleaning

The pains and soreness caused by bruises, over exertion and straining during house cleaning time are soothed away by Sloan's Liniment. No need to suffer this agony. Just apply Sloan's Liniment to the sore spots, rub only a little. In a short time the pain leaves, you rest comfortably and enjoy a refreshing sleep. One grateful user writes: "Sloan's Liniment is worth its weight in gold." Keep a bottle on hand, use it against all soreness, Neuralgia and Bruises. Kills pain. 25c. at your druggist. adv-no2

SUPPLIES HAVE NOT BEEN SHIPPED

Delay on Account of Conference with the Mexican Officials

VILLA IS MOVING NORTHWARD

Bandit Leader Came Near Losing His Life by Attack of Tortured Victim

The problem of forwarding supplies to the American base at Colonia Dublin by the Mexico Northwestern Railroad has changed from the perplexing to the mysterious. General Bell was apparently in receipt of instructions from Washington similar to those sent General Funston, but he announced that he would give no information to the press regarding the situation.

It is known that no supplies have been sent, as no train left Juarez during the last two days. The vice president of the road said he had a train ready, but knew of no arrangements for sending it. The lack of gasoline is causing the authorities the greatest worry.

General Funston explains that he delayed using the Northwestern Railway for the shipment of supplies to the troops in Mexico pending a conference with General Gavira, the commander at Juarez; General Bell, the commander at El Paso, and Andres Garcia, the Mexican consul at El Paso. It is expected that shipments will begin today, but the disposition of headquarters is to move cautiously.

After killing the garrison of 172 men at Guerrero, Villa moved northward Wednesday and is now near the headwaters of the Santa Maria river, according to unofficial advices secured by General Funston.

At the head of a considerable force, Villa was reported at the San Geronimo or Quemada ranches, and the United States troops have been sent to close in on him.

It was learned at field headquarters, Colonia Dublan, yesterday, that Villa nearly lost his life recently at the Carralitos Ranch near here, where he tortured and executed five Mexicans. One of the victims was strangling Villa when officers beat him senseless with the butts of their guns.

Euco Palanco was the name of the Mexican who almost succeeded in ending Villa's career. The murder of five members of the Palanco family was said to have been intended as a warning to other Mexicans against having dealings with the Americans.

The Thatcher School Election

The election for school trustee at Thatcher Saturday was a lively affair, reminding old timers of a regular election day.

The candidates were W. W. Pace and Marion Lee. Friends of both candidates were busy from the time the polls opened until they closed, hustling votes for their respective candidates.

Automobiles were on the job all day long, carrying voters to the polls and back to their homes.

When the polls closed the election board got busy and canvassed the votes, with the following result:

W. W. Pace	170
Marion Lee	140
Total	310

Mr. Pace, having received the majority of the votes cast, was declared elected for the term of three years.

Primary Election Held at Pima

A town primary election was held at Pima, Tuesday, for the purpose of nominating town officers.

As a result of the election, the following were nominated for town councilmen: J. H. Mangum, Jr., W. W. Crockett, A. E. Packer, John Nuttall and Alfred Rohner.

Fred Brewer was nominated for town marshal and street supervisor.

Good Roads for Graham County

Social Meeting Woman's Club

Mesdames John, Clark, Mashbir, Carpenter and Chambers were the hostesses at the social meeting of the Woman's Club, Friday afternoon, March 24th, at the home of Mrs. F. H. John.

The desirability of forming a musical section of the club was discussed and a committee was appointed to formulate plans for the carrying out of the project.

The subject of the famine in the paper market was also taken up, and instances read of money made in gathering old papers until a carload was ready for shipment, which found ready sale. The club resolved to take up this work in Safford and a committee was appointed to take charge of of the matter. The towns people are requested to save all their old papers for the clubs' committee, who will call and get them.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

The regular business meeting of the club will be held April 7th, at the Union Church.

MRS. W. D. FRENCH,
Club Reporter.

For Sale

Eight hundred feet three-inch pipe, good as new, 15 cents per foot. Address W. G. BABB, Lowell, Arizona. adv-7-2t

Land Officials Visit Aravaipa

State Land Commissioner W. A. Mouer, accompanied by K. K. Koontz, engineer and chief draftsman of the department, and P. J. Miller and Ben Clark, field men, arrived here by auto from Aravaipa Friday afternoon.

Commissioner Mouer, in an interview with a GUARDIAN reporter, stated that the trip to Aravaipa was made for the purpose of straightening out differences in the disposition of some of the lands selected at that place. While in Klondyke, the commissioner adjusted a dispute between cattlemen and sheepmen over the use of the range for cattle and sheep.

Commissioner Mouer and party remained here Friday and left Saturday, after arranging for a survey of State land, for Bowie and Willcox, to adjust some matters at those places in regard to State lands.

After leaving Willcox, Commissioner Mouer went to Duncan and Clifton before returning to Phoenix.

Appointed as Missionaries

William Ellsworth, accompanied by Miss Irene Reed, daughter of W. R. Reed, and Miss Emma Jacobson, daughter of P. J. Jacobson, will leave here Monday for Salt Lake City to attend the conference of the Mormon Church.

Mr. Ellsworth has been assigned as a missionary, with headquarters at Chicago, and will leave after the conference for that city.

Misses Reed and Jacobson will receive their assignments at Salt Lake City.

A farewell party was given by friends to the departing missionaries at Layton Hall Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Proctor, of Hollywood, Cal., arrived here Sunday and were met by Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Dowdle and taken to the Dowdle ranch at Klondyke, where they will be guests for several weeks.

Crandall Brothers have purchased the Safford Bottling Works and will move the business to the Wickersham building.

Mrs. H. J. Dowdle and her daughter, Mrs. Jesse Foster, were visitors in town this week from Klondyke.

Mrs. W. W. Pettis and little son, of Yuma, arrived here Tuesday and will visit for some time with Mrs. Pettis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Kirkpatrick.

Just Arrived

Poultry Wire Fencing at Faulkner's Lumber Yard, Safford. adv-7-4t

Pills Best for Liver

Because they contain the best liver medicines, no matter how bitter or nauseating for the sweet sugar coating hides the taste. Dr. King's New Life Pills contain ingredients that put the liver working, move the bowels freely. No gripe, no nausea, aid digestion. Just try a bottle of Dr. King's New Life Pills and notice how much better you feel. 25c. at druggists.

GRADES FIVE AND SIX

Will Give an Entertainment at High School Building, April 7th

Grades V and VI, of the Grammar Building, Safford Public Schools, will give an entertainment next Friday evening at the High School Auditorium, at 7:45 o'clock.

The following program will be given:

Song, "Where the Flag Is Full of Stars" ..... Grades V and VI
Cantata, "The Burdens of Birdland" ..... Grade VI

A plea for the preservation of bird life opens by a chorus which is a greeting to the morn. Two boys, dressed for hunting and carrying bows and arrows, and two girls, dressed for a holiday, appear on the stage. The boys tell the girls that they are going to make some money by shooting and selling birds. After they leave to carry out their purpose, the girls sit down and are incidentally interested in the plaintive song of many birds about them. Their attention is called to the subject of where the birds come from which are used for decoration and they go out for information. Birds appear and rehearse their wrongs. The cantata closes with the acknowledgement on the part of both boys and girls of the rights of the feathered songsters.

Song, "The Greatest General" ..... Grade VI
Recitation, "When the Green Gets Back in the Trees" ..... Chesser Warner
Recitation, "Little Dead Pussy" ..... Ethna Clifford
Play, "In the Wake of Paul Revere" ..... Grade VI

Scene I—Kitchen of Winthrop's. Call to Arms.
Scene II—Return of James Winthrop with News of Lexington.
Scene III—Return of John Winthrop. Search of British soldiers.
Scene IV—Journey of Faith Emerson with dispatches for General Washington.
Scene V—Arrival of Faith Emerson at American Camp.
Scene VI—Return of Patriots to their Homes.

Recitation, "Seein' Things at Night" ..... Ruel Bingham
Song, "Johnny Smoker" ..... Grade V
Recitation, "Raggedy Man" ..... Vera Moody
Recitation, "Our Hired Girl" ..... Opal O'Bryan

Display of school work in the east room of the High School Building.

BAPTIST CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Superintendent, Judge A. G. McAlister. Classes for all. Morning worship at 11:00 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "The Love that Constraineth Us." The B. Y. P. U. meets at 6:30 p. m. At 7:30 o'clock, the pastor will relate the story of "Dr. Lockwitzky's"—a Russian reformer—experience as a prisoner in Russia and four years exile in Siberia. A thrilling experience. Remember the prayer meeting and synthetic Bible study every Thursday, at 7:30 p. m. You are welcome to these services.

E. A. GOTTBERG, Pastor.

CAMPBELL A VISITOR

Tax Commissioner Tom Campbell arrived here Wednesday from Globe. Mr. Campbell was here for several days on official business with County Assessor Allred. He leaves tomorrow for Clifton. While here Mr. Campbell refused to discuss his probable candidacy for governor, stating that he was here strictly on business connected with the tax commission.

APPLICATIONS RETURNED

A number of applications for selections of land to lease or sell in unsurveyed territory in this county, were returned to applicants, for the reason that the State Land Department cannot administer or secure land in unsurveyed territory, with the exception of Sections 2, 16, 32 and 36, school sections in each township.

BUYS MORE CATTLE

L. W. Samuel added another large bunch of cattle to his holdings this week, when he purchased the cattle, ranch and range of Mack Freeman. Mr. Samuel is rapidly coming to the front as the leading cattleman of Graham county.

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Farmers Will Hold Meeting

The Safford Farmers' Improvement Association will meet at the Safford Court House, Saturday, April 1st, at 3:00 p. m.

Visiting members from the Thatcher Association will be present. A good attendance is desired.

MRS. C. S. CONWAY,
Secretary.

Good Roads for Graham County

CATTLEMEN HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

Aravaipa Cattle Growers' Association Elects New Officers for 1916

BOUNTY ON LIONS AND WOLVES

Big Barbeque was Enjoyed by Over One Hundred and Fifty Guests

The Aravaipa Cattle Growers' Association held its annual meeting in the Union Chuch, Klondyke, Thursday, March 23d.

About twenty members were present when President J. F. Wootan called the meeting to order. After the disposition of routine business, several important matters were brought up and discussed, among them were the bounty on lions and wolves and the proposition of the Cochise County Cattle Growers' Association for the amalgamation of both associations.

The association decided to offer a bounty of $25.00 on lions and lobo wolves; the hides to be turned in to the board of supervisors and a certificate from the board to be given to the secretary, together with a letter from a resident in the section where the lion or wolf was killed. The $25.00 bounty by the association will be in addition to the county bounty.

The matter of amalgamation with the Cochise county association was referred to a committee of five, this committee to go over the proposition in conference with a like committee of the Cochise county association, the committee to report back to the association, at a meeting to be called in September.

The following new members were elected: John W. Mattice and R. F. McBride, of Pima, and A. N. Bryce, of Bryce.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: W. L. Wootan, president; H. J. Dowdle, vice president; H. L. Johnson, secretary and treasurer. Executive Board: J. R. Boyle, Bonita; George Morgan, Cedar Springs; John W. Mattice, Pima; Thomas Allaire and Wiley M. Morgan, Klondyke.

At noon the barbeque came on, which was greatly enjoyed by about 150 people. The pastry was furnished by the ladies, the coffee by the men, and the beef and mutton was cooked under the direction of the famous barbeque chef, Al Upchurch.

Owing to the almost continuous rain, the cowboy sports could not be held, but everyone who attended had a very enjoyable day, notwithstanding the rain.

Notes

An enjoyable event of the day was the "yell" of the Willcox bunch, under the leadership of H. A. Morgan, yell master:

Well! Well! Well! We have no yell,
But when we yell, we yell like—Willcox.

The Aravaipa Cattle Growers' Association is an organization of Graham county cattlemen. Every cattleman in this county should be a member and secure through organization the attention and protection that naturally comes from an organized body. Many matters of interest to local cattlemen can be better taken care of through the association than by single effort, especially matters of legislation. It is good advice to the cattlemen of this county to join the association at once.

The question of amalgamating with the Cochise county association should be fully considered by the association before entering such a compact. It might be better to make one big strong organization of cattlemen in this county to be part of a State Central organization, which would be composed of several county associations. However, the Cochise county cattlemen are all good people and the idea of amalgamation is evidently for a larger and stronger organization.

SOCIALIST SPEAKERS

The dates when the Socialist speakers will be here have been changed, as follows: Miss Anna Maley, Saturday, April 15th; Eugene V. Debs, Sunday, April 16th, and George Gobel, Saturday, April 22d.

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WHO IS PUTTING UP THE MONEY?

President Wilson has found it necessary to issue a warning to the people that "sinister and unscrupulous influences are spreading alarmist reports about the Mexican situation, with the object of forcing intervention by the United States, in the interest of certain American owners of Mexican properties."

It has been pretty well known ever since the assassination of President Madero, that the succeeding revolutions in Mexico have been kept alive by big interests in the United States, who have financed the different leaders; in fact have furnished all the money needed for arms and ammunition by the different factions in keeping up a condition of affairs that has practically impoverished Mexico.

The strange part of this most horrible business is the fact that while everyone seems to agree that the several revolutions in Mexico have been financed by American interests, yet nothing has ever been done to put a stop to it. For some reason the enforcement of neutrality has never reached the "big ones" who have put up the money for the revolutionary leaders.

It is known that during the Orozco revolution, that the money to pay the soldiers came through the American Banking Association; that the soldiers were paid promptly from the first to the fifteenth on each month, no matter where they were located, or if they were engaged in battle at the time, the financial agents of the Orozco revolution were allowed free access to the front to deliver the pay checks.

At the present time it would seem that these same interests are bending every effort to bring about intervention. All kinds of stories are circulated with the view of bringing about war between the two nations.

Several months ago the administration at Washington put it up to the Carranza and Villa factions to show their ability to control their country at the end of a certain time, the dominant faction then to be recognized by the United States as the defacto government until an election could be held.

Carranza's forces seemed to be the most successful and his government was recognized. Amnesty was offered to all Villistas who surrendered, but Villa refused to end the war. He continued with his bandits to wage war upon the Carranza soldiers until he was badly defeated, losing battle after battle, as well as every town previously in his possession and garrisoned by his soldiers.

When driven off into the hills he vowed to make war upon all Americans on account of the United States recognizing Carranza, and proceeded to carry this into effect. His first massacre of Americans occurred at San Ysabel, when eighteen mining men were taken from a train and killed and their bodies horribly mutilated.

Villa had been declared an outlaw by the Carranza defacto government and the United States could not wage war with Mexico, as that country could not be held responsible for the acts of an outlaw.

Villa evidently thought that the San Ysabel massacre would bring about war, and when it failed to do so, he declared that he would accomplish an outrage that would and the raid on Columbus, N. M., came next.

This time the United States had to get busy and our troops are now on Mexican soil for the purpose of capturing Villa.

Now is when the big plans of those who favor intervention for their own personal gain are supposed to be executed. All kinds of stories of the conditions along the border that are absolutely untrue are being circulated for no other purpose than to rouse up the people of the United States and make congress act.

Villa does not seem to be short of supplies of any kind. He is now in a country that affords him every opportunity to prolong his special revolution, which is to kill all Americans. He declares he is not making war upon Mexicans, only on Americans who have invaded his country.

Herrera has left Chihuahua with 2,000 well-armed troops. He has undoubtedly in view a special revolution of his own, as he has refused to help the American expeditionary forces to capture Villa.

Several smaller leaders are the heads of bands that are now roving over Chihuahua and Sonora and other states in Mexico. There seems to be no end to the revolutions or operations of the bandits and the Carranza forces are unable or unwilling to accomplish the capture of any of these bandits.

Not one of these revolutions in Mexico could live a week without arms, ammunition and war other supplies. Mexican money issued by any faction has very little or no purchaseing value, practically none outside of Mexico, but the leaders seem to know their business and are not worrying, for they are evidently getting all the money that has a purchasing value of 100 cents on the dollar, as well as supplies.

Who is now putting up American dollars to keep up Mexican revolutions, and can it be for any other purpose than to bring about intervention, and if intervention does come, what big interests will profit most by the declaration of war with Mexico?

A PEEVED PROFESSOR

Prof. Stanley F. Morse, Superintendent of Agricultural Extension Service of the University of Arizona, seems to have a grouch against the farmers of Arizona and particularly against the Gila valley farmers. Perhaps, if the peeved professor would attend to his own particular work in the extension service, he would find plenty to do without trying to criticize the farmer of the Gila valley who is trying to save his land from being swept away in the river.

The professor's latest attempt to charge the farmers of Arizona with the blame for increased taxation is about as asinine as the rest of his charges.

Congressman Carl Hayden has recommended the appointment of W. B. Kelly, editor of the Copper Era, for postmaster at Clifton. We congratulate Congressman Hayden on his wise selection of a competent man for the position. Mr. Kelly is not only a good editor, but is also a good business man. His years of experience in newspaper work will enable him to take care of the duties of his new office to the smallest detail, and there is no doubt in our minds but that he will make a fine record in his new field of labor.

Jess Willard defeated Frank Moran, of Pittsburg, in a ten-round prize fight for points, at Madison Square Garden, New York City, Saturday night. Although Willard broke his right hand in the third round, he used his left to such good advantage that he was able to keep Moran at a distance all through the fight. Moran finished groggy, with face bleeding and left eye closed. Willard smiled all through the fight.

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Secrets of Success

"What is the secret of success?" asked the Sphinx.

"Push," said the button.

"Never be led," said the pencil.

"Take pains," said the window.

"Always keep cool," said the ice.

"Be up-to-date," said the calendar.

"Never lose your head," said the barrel.

"Never make light of anything," said the fire.

"Do a driving business," said the hammer.

"Aspire to greater things," said the nutmeg.—Ex.

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WONDERFUL CALLING TO THE DIVINE NATURE

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Promises Exceeding Precious — Not Many Great or Wise In Worldly Things Believe—Chiefly the Poor and Humble—This Class the Truly Great and Wise—God's Truth Gives True Learning and Spirit of a Sound Mind. Terms of High Calling Definite. Glorious End of Heavenly Way.

PASTOR RUSSELL

Roanoke, Va., March 26.—Pastor Russell delivered a very impressive address here today, taking for his text 2 Peter 1:4—"God hath given unto us exceeding great and precious promises, that by these we might be partakers of the Divine nature."

God designs that the Church, the Royal Priesthood, shall, when completed and glorified, occupy positions of great honor and responsibility, the speaker began. They will be kings, judges, priests, throughout the thousand years of the Messianic Reign. Moreover, they will be the honored associates of our Lord Jesus throughout eternity, spirit beings of the very highest order—the Divine nature. In selecting this class God is looking for those only who truly love righteousness and hate iniquity; for should any one be exalted to so high a position who has any sympathy whatever with sin, the result would be disastrous.

The Pastor then explained that this class of truly consecrated ones are all spirit-begotten New Creatures in Christ. God is not judging them according to their unavoidable weaknesses and imperfections, the result of the Adamic fall, but according to their hearts and their earnest endeavors. He does not expect perfect works in an imperfect body; but He seeks a perfect heart and an overcoming spirit, with as nearly perfect conduct as they are able to render through His grace.

By this merciful arrangement the blessing of the Lord hath made this class rich. While He has not given them perfect righteousness as yet, nevertheless He has imputed it to them, through their faith in the Lord Jesus Christ. Additionally, the Spirit of the Lord gives His people rest of heart and sounder judgment than they had before. (2 Timothy 1:7.) Often it increases their physical health and their mental efficiency. It renders a business man more capable and conscientious, and hence more valuable, than before; it makes a housewife more orderly, more sensible, than before she became a Christian. It helps parents to set a good example to their children, to train their children more carefully, to bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord.

Why God Chooses the Poor.

Scriptures were quoted to demonstrate that not many of earth's wise or great or noble are called of God, but chiefly the weak ones of this world. This, the Pastor declared, is because those who naturally are poor and ignoble feel more keenly their weakness, and long for something better that God can give. The lowly-minded are thus in a proper heart attitude to realize their need and to come to God. It is not advantageous, he asserted, to be rich in this world's wealth, either socially or financially; for during the next Age such will find it difficult to adjust themselves to the new conditions which will then obtain.

Few are willing to walk in the way of humility and self-abnegation; but to those who do a great blessing comes. A work of transformation goes on within them. These poor and lowly ones are the truly rich, from the Divine standpoint, and the most learned—learned in Heavenly wisdom, the only true wisdom, acquired in the School of Christ.

This class is now on trial for life or death everlasting. The world is not now on trial for life or death, although their present course will have a bearing upon their future. The vast majority of those in heathen lands have no knowledge whatever of Christ. Very many in Christendom so-called have very little real knowledge of Him, although many of them attend meetings more or less regularly where Christ's name is spoken and where hymns are sung. There was a similar class in our Lord's day; and they joined in crucifying the Lord of Glory. Of them St. Peter said, "I wot that in ignorance ye did it."—Acts 3:17.

The class who know Christ are those who have accepted the terms of discipleship laid down by the Master. (Matthew 16:24.) This means that one must give up his own will to take instead the will of the Lord Jesus Christ, who represents the Father. Whoever has not done this has not been accepted of God. Much more is necessary than merely to abandon sin. Nobody ever had a right to live a wicked or immoral life. Jesus is the only Way into the Family of God. In consecration, the first step is to deny one's self; the second is to adopt God's will, to take up the cross and follow Christ. These two steps every one must take who would enter the true Church, "whose names are written in Heaven."—Hebrews 12:23.

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—DeMar in Philadelphia Record.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

(Continued from Last Week.)

The bonds of Lescher & Kibbey, architects, in the penal sum of $5,000.00, were approved by the Board.

The notary bonds of W. W. Pace, A. H. Ferrin, D. H. Weech, J. T. Owens, W. R. Chambers and J. F. Greenwood, in penal sum of $1,000.00 each, were approved by the Chairman of the Board.

The bond of Martin Layton, as Clerk of the Board, in penal sum of $2,000 00, was approved by the Chairman of the Board.

The county treasurer was ordered to make transfer of county funds, as follows: $2,500.00 from county bond interest fund to the salary fund; $988 18 from tax collector's fees fund to the general fund.

By order of the Board, R. J. Young was instructed to start on his duties as county engineer, at the salary of $100.00 per month, dating from March 1, 1916.

The reports of the various county and precinct officers for the month of February, 1916, was reported checked by the Clerk and were approved by the Board.

The treasurer was ordered to set aside from the general expense fund, $150 00, the amount of estimated expense of the sheriff's office for the month of March, 1916.

The following claims against the county, presented by members of the Board of Supervisors, were audited by the county recorder, allowed, and the Clerk of the Board was ordered to draw warrants in payment of same as follows, to-wit:

No.	By Whom Presented	For What Purpose	Amt. All'w'd	Warrant No.
105	Geo. A. Foote	February salary, chairman board of supervisors	$62.50	55
137	Bank of Safford	February salary, Supervisor James Quinn	50.00	40
148	" " "	February salary, Supervisor Geo. A. Matthews	50.00	41

The following claims against the county were audited by the Board, allowed, and the Clerk was ordered to draw warrants in payment of same, as follows, to-wit:

No.	By Whom Presented	For What Purpose	Amt. All'w'd	Warrant No.
83	The Bank of Safford	February salary, deputy sheriff, W. A. Bennett	$100 00	42
79	" " " "	February salary, court reporter, Eva Eakin	50.00	43
135	" " " "	January salary, justice of peace, W. W. Polly	20.00	44
139	" " " "	February salary, Assessor, J. Myron Allred	100.00	45
138	" " " "	February salary, superior judge, A. G. McAlister	125 00	46
140	" " " "	February salary, justice of peace, D. D. Jones	20.00	47
145	" " " "	February salary, sheriff, T. G. Alger	166.66	48
165	" " " "	February salary, superintendent of health, Dr. G. S. Martin	30.00	49
177	" " " "	February salary, court reporter, Eva Eakin	50 00	50
198	" " " "	February salary, constable, Palmer	7.50	51
192	" " " "	February salary, deputy sheriff, R. McBride	125.00	52
215	" " " "	February salary, justice of peace, U. I. Paxton	35.00	53
150	Citizens Bank	February salary, clerk board of supervisors, Benj. Blake	100.00	54
172	R. W. Smith	February salary, clerk superior court	125.00	55
173	J. P. Gillespie	February salary, constable	15.00	56
178	F. M. Layton	" " treasurer	125.00	57
179	J. Allen Brooks	" " constable	20.00	58
184	J. T. Sanford	" " constable	7.50	59
193	John McGowan	" " county attorney	125.00	60
185	John Blake	February salary, justice of peace	7.50	61
183	H. L. Colvin	February salary, justice of peace	7.50	62
203	W. W. Hawkins	February salary, justice of peace	7.50	63
213	M. M. Larson	February salary, deputy recorder	50.00	64
214	C. O. Larson	February salary, recorder	125.00	65
220	J. F. Greenwood	" " justice of peace	7.50	66
222	Silas P. Jenkins	February salary, justice of peace	7 50	67
225	John H. Beal	February salary, constable	20 00	68
223	O. B. Lancaster	" " constable	35.00	69
205	W. W. Polley	February salary, justice of peace	20.00	70
242	Fred M. Wood	February salary, constable	7.50	71
240	Benj. F. Cluff	" " constable	7.50	72
201	Adelbert Holladay	" " justice of peace	20.00	73

Expense Fund

No.	By Whom Presented	For What Purpose	Amt. All'w'd	Warrant No.
134	*McNeil Co	General office supplies	80.70	66
136	F. M. Layton, Treas.	Water and light service	15.00	67
141	Gila Valley Bank and Trust Co.	Registrar of vital statistics, Mrs. W. D. French	60.75	68
144	Otto F. Lester	Expense, court house	1.00	69
146	F. M. Layton, Treas.	Janitor service, Foote,	28.00	70
147	F. M. Layton "	Tax attorney fees, John McGowan	10.00	71
153	Bank of Safford	Appropriation for flood water control	300.00	72
152	H. M. Woods	Registrar of vital statistics	.50	73

*McNeil Co. demand for supplies, $101.70; board allowed, $80.70.

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No.	By Whom Presented	For What Purpose	Amt. Cl'm'd.	Warrant. No.
159	Los Angeles Rubber Co.	General office expense	4.47	74
160	J. P. Sanford	Juror service, Precinct No. 9	4.50	75
166	Benj. Blake	Office expense, board of supervisors	5.00	76
167	Jose Rubal	Interpreter fees, Prect. No. 9	3.00	77
168	Frank Haynes	Prisoners' meals	17.20	78
169	R. W. Smith	Office expense, clerk of superior court	2 00	79
174	G. T. McIntyre	Baliff, superior court	24.00	80
176	Geo. Montierth	" " "	10.00	81
175	O. H. Robinson	" " "	4.00	82
202	E. W. Layton	Water assessment, poor farm	6.00	83
200	Wm. Butler	Transportation of prisoners	10.00	84
199	U. I. Paxton	Office expense, Prect. No. 1	5.00	85
196	W. A. Bennett	Prisoners' meals, February	51.80	86
194	John McGowan	County attorney expense	19.25	87
191	J. A. Haralson	Court house repairs	1.75	88
189	Platt & Stratton	Hospital contract	34.80	89
188	" " "	Examining insane	10.00	90
204	F. M. Layton, Treas.	Jurors' certificates	612.90	91
206	J. Myron Allred	Januaryand Februaryexpense	61.85	92
208	Francis Ellsworth	Janitor service	25 00	93
207	Mrs. R. C. Dryden	Registrar of vital statistics	24.75	94
212	C. O. Larson	Expense, recorder's office	1.50	95
209	Solomon Commercial Co.	Expense, court house	15 65	96
211	Morris Simon	" " "	1.50	97
217	Western Union Tel. Co.	Services, February	.97	98
218	Mt. States Telephone & Telegraph Co.	Phone service, February	43.89	99
221	Guardian Pub Co.	Printing, per contract	60 40	100
232	A. E. Jacobson	Meals and beds for jurors	27.00	101
228	Gila Valley Electric, Gas and Water Co.	Light and water, February	15 15	102
227	McNeil Co.	Office supplies	10 48	103
234	T. G. Alger	Court house supplies	1 80	104
239	T. G. Alger	Expense, sheriff's office	61.85	105
235	Thorpe Bros.	Jurors' meals	4.20	106
237	Gila Valley Furniture and Hardware Co.	Court house supplies	3 40	107
236	T. G. Alger	Estimated expense, sheriff's office	150.00	108
252	D. A. Matthews	February expense, deputy assessor	10 88	109
253	D. A. Matthews	February salary, 18 days as deputy assessor	45.00	110
266	Gila Valley Bank and Trust Co.	February salary, deputy ranger sheriff	50 00	111
267	Joe Hinton, Jr.	Bounty on animals	60 00	112
246	Geo. A Matthews	February expense, supervisor	8 10	113
248	Cooper Bros.	Plumbing	1 30	114
142	Louis Munez	Indigent allowance	7 50	115
143	Sarah A. Cluff	February indigent allowsnce	10 00	116
151	Casimiro Garcia	" supplies to indigents	15 00	117
155	Mary E McIntyre	" indigent allowance	10 00	118
156	M. A. Theabold	" " "	5 00	119
158	Susie C. Cluff	" " "	10.00	120
161	Mrs. S. E. Rodine	" " "	10 00	121
163	Emeline Butler	" " "	10.00	122
164	Juan Martinez	" " "	10 00	123

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The Gila Valley Bank & Trust Co.

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Current for Electric Irons, Fans, Etc.

For the first 15 KWH consumed in any one month	$.12 1-2	per KWH
For the next 15 KWH consumed in any one month	$.10	per KWH
All in excess of 30 KWH consumed in any one month	$.09	per KWH

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For the first 100 KWH consumed in any one month	$.10	per KWH
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For the next 300 KWH consumed in any one month	$.04	per KWH
All in excess of 1,000 KWH consumed in any one month	$.03 1-2	per KWH

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Appointments and Meetings for the Month of March. Sunday School News

Stake Meetings for March

Stake priesthood meeting, March 25th, at 2:00 p. m.

Appointment of Ward Conferences of Auxiliary Organizations

Relief Society

April 16 Glen, Bryce, Hubbard and Graham.

April 23 Globe and Miami, jointly with Sunday School.

Sunday School

April 16 Lebanon, Layton, Thatcher and Central.

April 23 Globe and Miami.

Primary Association

April 16 Pima, Fairview, Redland and Emery.

April 23 Franklin and Virden.

The other organizations will hold their conferences in the fall.

Ward Sunday School Conference Program for 1916

Morning Session

10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting.
10:30 a. m.---Five-minute music.
Silent roll call.
Abstract of minutes and notices.
Singing, "The Joyful Song," No.244.
Prayer.
Singing, "Oh, It Is Wonderful," No. 254.
Sacrament gem for month in which the conference is held.
Sacrament.
Concert recitation for month.
Subject, "Sustaining of Officers and Teachers," by Stake Board Member.
Sustaining of officers and teachers.
Song, chosen by ward chorister.
Subject, "Teaching Reverence in the Sunday School, by Stake Board Member.
Subject, "Class Work," by Stake Board Member.
Subject, "Secretary's Work, Reports, etc," by Stake Secretary.
Singing, "The Lord Is My Shepherd."
Benediction.

Afternoon Session

To be held at regular hour of Ward Sacrament meeting, under the direction of the Bishopric.

Topics---
"Report of Sunday School," by Superintendent.
"Home Support of Sunday School Work," by Bishop of Ward. (15 minutes.)
Song.
Remarks by Stake Board Member.
Song.
Benediction.

NOTE---The bishopric, teachers, all Sunday School workers and all members in the ward are cordilly invited.

This is the Ward Conference Program suggested by the Stake Board, which has been sent to the General Board for approval.

IONE LAYTON,
Stake Secretary.

UNION CHURCH

George Leonard Horene, Pastor.

"Whoever thou art that enters this church, leave it not without one prayer to God for thyself; for him who ministers, and for those who worship here."

Order of services for Sunday morning, at 11:00 o'clock:

Prelude.
Doxology.
Lord's Prayer.
Gloria.
Scripture Reading.
Hymn.
Prayer.
Offering.
Response, by Choir.
Hymn, by Choir.
Sermon.
Hymn.
Benediction.

Order of services, for Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock:

Prelude.
Hymn.
Invocation.
Gloria.
Scripture Reading.
Hymn.
Response, by Choir.
Offering.
Sermon.
Hymn.
Benediction.

Strangers to the congregation are cordially invited to make themselves known to the pastor, to whom also should be reported any cases of sickness or opportunity for helpfulness.

Proper Treatment for Biliousness

For a long time Miss Lula Skelton, of Churchville, N. Y., was bilious and had sick headache and dizzy spells. Chamberlain's Tablets were the only thing that gave her permanent relief. For sale by Safford Drug Co. adv-3 5t

THE EUROPEAN WAR IN BIBLE PROPHECY.

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Of vaster interest and importance is its promise of better things in store for this earth, when the wrath of nations has run its course. Send thirty-four cents in stamps (with this coupon) to cover postage, to The Temple, No. 26 W. 63rd St., New York City, and receive a copy promptly.

Watch Child's Cough

Colds, running of nose, continued irritation of the mucous membrane if neglected may mean Catarrh later. Don't take the chances—do something for your child! Children will not take every medicine, but they will take Dr. King's New Discovery and without bribing or teasing. It's a sweet, pleasant Tar Syrup and so effective. Just laxative enough to eliminate the waste poisons. Almost the first dose helps. Always prepared, no mixing or fussing. Just ask your druggist for Dr. King's New Discovery. It will safe-guard your child agaist serious ailments resulting from colds. adv-no2

DAIRY CATTLE FOR SALE

See L. W. Samuel at Safford for high grade, any age, dairy cattle. Prices and terms right. adv-4-4t

Registration

Registration of Electors commences April 3, 1916, and closes 20 days succeeding the Primary Election.

U. I. PAXTON,
Registration Officer.
adv-6-2t

Primary Election Officers

The officers appointed for the Primary Election, Monday, April 24, 1916, are as follows: H. Houck, Inspector; A. E. Jacobson and W. F. Ijams, Judges. adv-6-5t

Notice

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by the lessee of the Grand Reef mines, or by the Laurel Canyon Mining Company.

R. V. DEY.
Owner of the Grand Reef mines.
adv-29-tf

FOR SALE

Fine milch cow; also hatching eggs, from fine winter laying Barred Rocks. MRS. ETHEL NOLEN, Fairview, Arizona. adv-5-3t

Notice of Selection Under Act of Congress, Approved June 20, 1910.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE AT PHOENIX, ARIZONA.
STATE OF ARIZONA

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the State of Arizona has filed in this office its Grant Selections, Lists Nos. 323, 324 and 325, Serial Nos. 029689, 029713 and 029714, respectively, applying to select for the benefit of payment of bonds and accrued interest thereon of Maricopa, Pima, Yavapai and Coconino Counties, the following described lands, to-wit:

List No. 323, Serial No. 029689—In T. 9 S., R. 26 E.: SE ¼, Sec. 7; N ½ NE ¼; SE ¼ NE ¼; NE ¼ SE ¼, Sec. 18; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4; E ½ W ½, Sec. 19; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 30.

List No. 324, Serial No. 029713—In T. 9 S., R. 26 E.: Lots 2, 3, 4; SW ¼ NE ¼; S ½ NW ¼; W ½ SE ¼; SW ¼, Sec. 3.

List No. 325, Serial No. 029714—In T. 9 S., R. 26 E.: SE ¼; S ½ NW ¼; S ½ SW ¼, Sec. 4; S ½ SE ¼, Sec. 5. In T. 9 S., R. 22 E.: S ½ NW ¼; SW ¼, Sec. 28.

(All in G. and S. R. M.)

During the five weeks' period of publication of this notice, or any time thereafter and before final approval and certification, this office will receive protests or contests as to any of the tracts applied for and transmit the same to the General Land Office.

Dated at Phoenix, Arizona, March 14, 1916.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN,
Register U. S. Land Office.
JOHN J. BIRDNO,
Receiver U. S. Land Office.
Date of first publication, Mar. 24, 1916.
Date of last publication, April 21, 1916.

PRIMARY ELECTION NOTICE

A Primary Election is hereby called in the Town of Safford, Graham County, Arizona, under the provisions of law relating to Primary Elections, on the 24th Day of April, A. D. 1916, for the purpose of voting for candidates for the several parties to be nominated for the following offices:

Five Members of the Common Council; one Town Clerk; one Marshal, and one Supervisor of Streets.

Dated March 20, 1916.

L. J. BROSHEARS,
Mayor.

Attest:
J. C. ELLSWORTH, Clerk.
First publication, March, 24, 1916.
Last publication, April 21, 1916.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received by the Trustees of School District No. 9, of Graham County, Arizona, for the construction and completion of a two-room Graded School building, to be erected at Klondyke, Arizona, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by Lescher & Kibbey, Architects, Phoenix, Arizona.

All bids must be in the hands of the Clerk of said Board, at his residence in Klondyke, Arizona, by 6:00 o'clock p. m., on the 7th day of April, 1916.

Plans and specifications may be obtained from the Clerk of said district at his residence in Klondyke, Arizona, or from the architects at their offices in Phoenix, Arizona.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check equal to five per cent of the amount of the bid, made payable to the Clerk of said Board of Trustees, said check to be forfeited to the Board of Trustees, if the successful bidder refuses to enter into a contract and furnish bond as required by the said Board of Trustees within ten days after awarding of contract to him. The successful bidder must furnish a bond satisfactory to the Board equal to fifty per cent of the amount of the contract.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any and all bids submitted.

Board of Trustees of School District No. 9, of Graham County, Arizona.

MILLIE B. WOOTAN,
R. C. HABY, Clerk, Pro Tem.
First publication, March 17, 1916.
Last publication, March 31, 1916. n

SUPERIOR COURT NOTICE

In the Superior Court, of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

In the matter of the estate of James Henry Ellsworth and Eliza R. Ellsworth, deceased.

Order to show cause why an order of sale of real estate should not be made.

It appearing to this Court, by the petition this day presented and filed by J. C. Ellsworth, administrator of the estate of James Henry Ellsworth and Eliza R. Ellsworth, deceased, that it is necessary to sell the whole or some part of the real estate of decedents to pay the debts of the decedents, the expenses and charges of administration, and that it is for the best interest of the said estate to sell the said real estate.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said decedents appear before the said Superior Court on Tuesday, the 25th day of April, A. D. 1916, at the hour of 2:00 o'clock p. m., of said day, at the court room of said Court, at the court house in Safford, said County of Graham, State of Arizona, to show cause why an order should not be granted to said administrator to sell so much of the real estate as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published in the THE GRAHAM GUARDIAN, a newspaper, printed and published in said county, for four successive weeks.

Dated March 20, 1916.

5t A. G. MCALISTER,
Judge of the Superior Court.
First publication, March 24, 1916.
Last publication, April 21, 1916.

Notice of Selection under Act of Congress, Approved June 20, 1910.

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STATE OF ARIZONA.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the State of Arizona has filed in this office its Grant Selection, List No. 279, Serial No. 029486, applying to select for the benefit of payment of bonds and accrued interest thereon of Maricopa, Pima, Yavapai and Coconino Counties, the following described lands, to-wit:

List No. 279, Serial No. 029486—In T. 11 S., R. 22 E.: All of Sections 7, 19, 20, 29, 30 and 31; SW ¼ NW ¼; W ½ SW ¼, Sec. 5; Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7; S ½ NE ¼; SE ¼ NW ¼; E ½ SW ¼; SE ¼, Sec. 6; W ½ W ½; NE ¼ NW ¼, Sec. 8; N ½ NW ¼; SW ¼ NW ¼; NW ¼ SW ¼, Sec. 15; E ½; SW ¼; SE ¼ NW ¼, Sec. 17; Lots 1, 2; E ½ NW ¼; W ½ NE ¼; NE ¼ NE ¼, Sec. 18; NW ¼; W ½ SW ¼; SE ¼ SW ¼; SW ¼ SE ¼, Sec. 21. In T. 22 S., R. 30 E.: N ½, Sec. 33.

(All in G. and S. R. M.)

During the five weeks' period of publication of this notice, or any time thereafter and before final approval and certification, this office will receive protests or contests as to any of the tracts applied for and transmit the same to the General Land Office.

Dated at Phoenix, Arizona, February 26, 1916.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN,
Register U. S. Land Office.
JOHN J. BIRDNO,
Receiver U. S. Land Office.
First publication, March 10, 1916.
Last publication, April 7, 1916.

09384

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

(Register)

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, February 21, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that John A. Lee, of Safford, Arizona, one of the heirs of Rachel A. Lee, deceased, who, on March 28, 1910, made Adjoining Farm Homestead Entry, No. 09384, for Lot No. 6, Section 6, Township 8 South, Range 26 East of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian, has filed notice of intention to acquire patent to the above described land under Act April 28, 1904.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the lands or for any other reason, to the disposal to applicant, should file their affidavit of protest in this office on or before the 1st day of April, 1916.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
adv-2-6t-n

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 016969

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, February 24, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Sarah C. Bryce, of Bryce, Arizona, who, on March 18, 1912, made desert land entry, No. 016969, for SE ¼, Section 14, Township 6 S., Range 24 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final desert proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, Clerk of the Superior Court, at Safford, Arizona, on the 1st day of April, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
William A. Carter, Hyrum Johnston, Floyd Nuttall (3), of Fairview; and John W. Mattice, of Pima, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
First publication, March 3, 1916.
Last publication, March 31, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 05760

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, February 24, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Sarah J. Motes, of Ft. Thomas, Arizona, widow of Presley D. Motes, deceased, who, on April 26, 1909, made homestead entry, No. 05760, for SE ¼, Section 3, Township 5 S., Range 23 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, Clerk of the Superior Court, at Safford, Arizona, on the 3d day of April, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
William O. Tuttle, Hyrum Kempton, Orin E. Allred (3), of Ft. Thomas; and John B. Hicks, of Central, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
First publication, March 3, 1916.
Last publication, March 31, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 019076

U. S. Land Office, at Phoenix, Arizona, February 24, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that DeWitte T. Motes, of Ft. Thomas, Arizona, who, on September 18, 1912, made homestead entry, No. 019076, for Lots 3, 4, NW ¼ NW ¼, S ½ NW ¼, Section 10, Township 5 S., Range 23 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, Clerk of the Superior Court, at Safford, Arizona, on the 3d day of April, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
William O. Tuttle, Hyrum Kempton, Orin E. Allred (3), of Ft. Thomas; and John B. Hicks, of Central, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
First publication, March 3, 1916.
Last publication, March 31, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 013862

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, February 26, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Anna N. French, of Safford, Arizona, who, on March 25, 1911, made desert land entry, No. 013862, for W ½ SE ¼, S ½ NE ¼, Section 19, Township 6 S., Range 24 E., G. and S. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final desert proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, Clerk of the Superior Court, at Safford, Arizona, on the 4th day of April, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Seth Dodge, David Feldshaw, Roy Saline, all of Pima; and Fred Dowdle, of Klondyke, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
First publication, March 3, 1916.
Last publication, March 31, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 05695-029409

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, February 26, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that John E. Shrode, of Bonita, Arizona, who, on April 20, 1909, made original homestead, No. 05695; and on February 8, 1916, additional homestead, No. 029409, for SE ¼; S ½ NE ¼; E ½ NW ¼, Section 30, Township 9 S., Range 23 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before L. V. McCourt, U. S. Commissioner, at Willcox, Arizona, on the 15th day of April, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Jasper R. Boyle, Ebenezer B. Smith, Elmer R. Addington, John W. Brown, all of Bonita, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
First publication, March 3, 1916.
Last publication, March 31, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 05694

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, February 26, 1916

Notice is hereby given that William M. Shrode, of Bonita, Arizona, who, on April 20, 1909, made homestead entry, No. 05694, for NE ¼, Section 31, Township 9 S., Range 23 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before L. V. McCourt, U. S. Commissioner, at Willcox, Arizona, on the 15th day of April, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Jasper R. Boyle, Ebenezer B. Smith, Elmer R. Addington, John W. Brown, all of Bonita, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
First publication, March 3, 1916.
Last publication, March 31, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 05824

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, March 4, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Ebenezer Smith, of Bonita, Arizona, who, on May 3, 1909, made homestead entry, No. 05824, for SW ¼, Section 10, Township 10 S., Range 22 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before L. V. McCourt, U. S. Commissioner, at Willcox, Arizona, on the 15th day of April, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
William M. Shrode, John E. Shrode, Lewis A. Teel, Elmer R. Addington, all of Bonita, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
First publication, March 10, 1916.
Last publication, April 7, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 05635

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, March 17, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Charles W. Addington, of Willcox, Arizona, who, on April 14, 1909, made homestead entry, No. 05635, for E ½ NE ¼, Sec. 32; and W ½ NW ¼, Section 33, Township 10 S., Range 22 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before L. V. McCourt, U. S. Commissioner, at Willcox, Arizona, on the 26th day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Alfred M. Morgan, Archibold E. Jessee, Elijah Hart, John Wells, all of Bonita, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
First publication, March 24, 1916.
Last publication, April 21, 1916.

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JOHN F. WEBER, - - EDITOR

THATCHER NEWS

F. C. Fisher and George Mortini, experienced lumber men of Flagstaff, came in Friday and left for the Mount Graham Lumber Company's mill the same evening. The company expects to run the mill this season.

Winnie Moody has installed a fine new counter and show case in the meat market.

Mrs. Iris Hoopes entertained a number of young people Tuesday evening, in honor of her son, Grover, who expects to leave Saturday to fill a mission in the northwestern states.

Part of the time of the Sunday evening meeting of the M. I. A., was devoted to the six missionaries, who expect to leave soon for missions in different places.

The stake officers of the M. I A. have secured a beautiful pennant of white and blue, which will be given to the ward doing the greatest amount of special activity work this season.

The Mount Graham Lumber Company is putting its plant in shape, preparatory to starting work as soon as the snow melts.

W. A. Moody returned home from Phoenix Friday.

David Kimball has taken the management of the Thatcher Drug Store. We feel sure that he will make a success of it, as he is already planning to put in a number of new improvements.

Dr. John T. Miller, of Los Angeles, spoke before the parents' class Sunday morning, at the services Sunday afternoon and before the M. I. A. in the evening, with stereopticon views, his general subjects being purity of life and care of the health. Monday he visited the Academy as a phrenologist, doing a good deal of character reading among the students.

The Junior Class of the Academy gave a social at the home of Miss Anna Pace Friday evening, in honor of their class member, Ben Robinson, who leaves soon for a mission.

Howard Standish, of Mesa, came in Friday evening. One of our popular young ladies was the drawing card.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Jolly, entertained Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. Jolly's brother, Carl, who is to leave for a mission.

A good deal of business was transacted at the monthly priesthood meeting Saturday. The Academy was crowded with people attending from all over the valley.

Mrs. Cynthia Layton and Mrs. Catherine Pace went to Globe Saturday evening, for the purpose of holding primary conferences at Globe and Miami.

The spelling contest between the districts of Safford, Thatcher, Central and Pima was held at the Academy chapel, Friday afternoon. A large number were in attendance. Pima succeeded in carrying off the honors.

"The Merry Milk Maids"

The popular operetta, "The Merry Milk Maids," was played to a large house at Layton Hall last night, by the Academy choir, under the direction of Prof. H. L. Payne.

The chorus of sixty voices was a leading feature and the entire cast played their parts well.

The operetta was a grand success and greatly enjoyed by the audience.

For Sale or Trade

Hay press and engine, in excellent condition. Apply to J. M. WILSON, Safford. adv-7-3t

PIMA NEWS

R. M. Kelley motored to Morenci Saturday and returned Sunday, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Tom Meldren and little son, who will visit in town for some time, and also Milt Lines and Mrs. Kelley and little daughter, who have spent the past two weeks in Morenci with her sister, Mrs. Marshall Frazer, who underwent an operation for appendicitis. Mrs. Kelley reports her sister getting along nicely.

Mrs. Alice Knudson and little daughter arrived here from Hayden Saturday evening to spend a month visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Maloy and W. W. Crockett spent Sunday at Redland.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ransome, of Idaho, went to Lebanon Wednesday, where they visited Mrs. Will Ransome. After visiting for a few days, they will take the train at Safford for Salt Lake City, where they will attend the April conference of the Mormon Church, and then return to their home in Idaho

C. D. Haynie is again able to be out, after being confined to his bed for several weeks.

Mrs. Sarah Ellsworth and children, of Mesa, are in town visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs C. E Phillips and daughter, Miss Prescilla, of Thatcher, and Howard Standish, of Mesa, were visitors in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Beal and children returned to their home at York last week.

While working in the mines at Miami, Friday, March 24th, Claud Foster of Pima, met with a serious accident. He is now in the hospital at that place and is reported improving.

Joe Foster was called to Miami, Saturday morning, on account of the accident which happened to his son Friday. He returned home Monday morning.

The Young Ladies' Association will give an entertainment, Friday, March 31st, in the pavillion. Admission, 5 and 10 cents.

KLONDYKE NEWS

The recent rains and snow came just in time and the cattlemen and sheepmen are happy. The cattle especially will soon be in fine condition. The cattlemen have contracted to sell steers, one year old at $31.00; two year old, at $36.00, and three year old, at $41.00.

The school election held Saturday, resulted as follows: Wiley Morgan, 38; Frank Wootan, 18.

REPUBLICANS, ATTENTION!

The Graham County Republican Central Committee and all republican electors of Graham county are requested to attend a meeting to be held Saturday evening, April 15th, at Council Chambers, Safford.

This meeting is called for the purpose of determing how the delegates to the Republican State Convention, which will be held at Tucson, May 6, 1916, will be selected, whether by primary election, convention or mass meeting.

Graham county is entitled to nine delegates.

LEE N. STRATTON.
Chairman Graham County Republican Central Committee.
adv-7-2t

A Specific Against Colds

The nearest thing to a specific against colds is a sleeping porch or open bed room and a cold sponge bath every morning when you first get up. Even then you will occasionally take a cold, especially when colds are epidemic, and when you do you will find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a great help enabling you to get rid of it. Try it. For sale by Safford Drug Co.

KRAZY KRAKS

The Germans continue to retreat towards Verdun.

Have you noticed the difference since Portugal entered the war?

Almost united—W. J. B. says it's O. K. to cross the line. Now, let's hear from Debs.

The question at Kut-el-Amara seems to hinge on who controls the water franchise.

That fellow Brandies doesn't show up with many backers, but Wilson plays him to win.

The way the McLemore revolution was swatted around reminds one of the days of the big stick.

Professor Taft remarks that the idea of a Filipino governing himself is the next thing to Villaism.

The exploits of the Moewe have not been equalled since Porter took the Essex around Cape Horn.

Our idea of watchful waiting is waiting for T. R. to say that Wilson did the right thing.

Permission for Carranza sojers to cross the line strained that reciprocity idea to the limit, didn't it?

Our plan is this: Get all the deputy sheriffs in the United States after Villa and give him some real war.

The eighth wonder of the world: The way General Porfirio Diaz used to make them walk the chalk line.

The Austrians torpedoed a French gunboat and the French retaliated by sinking an Austrian hospital ship. Now, what?

Comparing the population of Turkey with Petrograd's estimate of the losses, every Turk in the Empire has been killed three times.

If a submarine locked horns with a dreadnaught, what would be the result? The answer is that nothing of that sort is ever going to happen.

We're not prepared to fight the Dutch,
The way the French and English can;
But they in turn are not prepared
To mix with Willard and Moran.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of T. D. Morris, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, E. W. Clayton, administrator of the estate of T. D. Morris, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to said administrator at The Bank of Safford, at Safford, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

Dated March 29, 1916.

E. W. CLAYTON,
Administrator.

First publication, March 31, 1916.
Last publication, April 21, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 018655

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, March 28, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Elam Olsen, of Safford, Arizona, who, on July 15, 1912, made desert land entry, No. 018655, for W ½ SE¼, NE ¼ SE ¼, Section 12, Township 8 S., Range 25 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final desert proof, to establish claim to the land above described before R. W. Smith, Clerk of the Superior Court, at Safford, Arizona, on the 6th day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Sampson S. Gish, John A. Lee, George N. Campbell, J. Claude Lee, all of Algadon, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
First publication, March 31, 1916.
Last publication, April 28, 1196.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 017063

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, March 24, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that David H. Weech, of Pima, Arizona, who, on March 28, 1912, made desert land entry, No. 017063, for W ½ SE ¼, Section 25, Township 6 S., Range 24 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final desert proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, Clerk of the Superior Court, at Safford, Arizona, on the 2d day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John H. Cluff, Halvei Weech, Archie C. Cluff, (3) of Pima, and B. H. Cluff, of Central, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
First publication, March 31, 1916.
Last publication, April 28, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 018671

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, March 24, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Ebenezer Smith, of Bonita, Arizona, one of, and for the heirs of, David Smith, who, on July 25, 1912, made homestead entry, No. 018671, for NW ¼, Section 10, Township 10 S., Range 22 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before L. V. McCourt, U. S. Commissioner, at Willcox, Arizona, on the 24th day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Elmer R. Addington, Louis A. Teel, Alfred Morgan, Charles W. Addington, all of Bonita, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

(Continued from Page Two.)

No.	By Whom Presented	For What Purpose	Amt. All'w'd	Warrant No.
170	Mrs. E. L. Drew	February indigent allowance	10.00	124
182	Polly Matthews	" " "	5.00	125
195	Susan Morris	" " "	15.00	126
186	Maude Roseberry	" " "	10.00	127
187	Platt & Stratton	Burial of indigent	15.00	128
210	Lee J. Broshears	February indigent allowance, Eva Cornett	30.00	129
219	Klondyke Mercantile House	February supplies to indigent	7.50	130
224	F. L. Wilson	" indigent allowance	10.00	131
226	Mrs. Mabel Matthews	" " "	10.00	132
230	Mrs. M. J. Slaughter	" " "	25.00	133
231	Mrs. Josephine Haws	" " "		
		Gladys Packer	15.00	134
238	Solomonville Market	February indigent supplies	30.00	135
241	Mrs H. C. Waddell	" " allowance	15.00	136
268	Vina Crum	" " "	5.00	137
251	A. N. Lewis	" " "	15.00	138
	Road Fund			
257	Citizens Bank	Vouchers, District No. 2	248.25	38
256	Bank of Safford	" " " 3	140.95	39
254	R. J. Young	Engineering service	6.00	40
250	J. M. Jarbel	Right of way, District No. 2	18.00	41
249	Geo. A. Matthews	Managing road work	45.00	42
264	Webb-Merrill Commercial Co.	Supplies for bridge	18.85	31
263	Thos. Allarire	Vouchers, district No. 3	47.35	32
262	Bank of Safford	" " " 2	98.85	33
149	Western Metal Manufacturing Co.	Supplies, " " 1	104.52	20
154	Bank of Safford	Appropriaton Southern National Highway	250.00	21
162	Citizens Bank	Bridge supplies, Allen	51.00	22
171	F. L. Holmquist	One Dean River Deflector	300.00	23
181	Geo. Rogers	Auto hire, engineer	6.00	24
190	Bank of Safford	" " county engineer	10.00	25
197	" " "	Road inspector, Lamoreaux	87.00	26
244	Gila Valley Bank and Trust Co.	Vouchers, District No. 1	4.00	27
245	Bank of Safford	" " " 1	102.75	28
247	Western Metal Manufacturing Co.	Supplies, " " 3	97.60	29
261	Gila Valley Bank and Trust Co.	Vouchers, " " 2	249.75	34
260	Bank of Safford	" " " 2	872.46	35
259	Gila Valley Bank and Trust Co.	" " " 2	10.00	36
258	Willcox Bank and Trust Co.	" " " 3	84.22	37
	School Fund			
180	Bank of Safford	February salary, school superintendent	100.00	4
216	S. C. Heywood	February expense, office of school superintendent	30.00	5
229	Myrtle E. Sowell	Clerk services, school superintendent	15.00	6
	Miscellaneous			
243	Lescher & Kibbey	Court house plans and specifications	1470.00	6
157	F. M. Layton	Erroneous assessment personal property for 1914	3.20	7
233	Selso Olgin	Cleaning court house ground	25.00	8

The Board adjourned to meet in regular session March 9, 1916, at 9:00 o'clock a. m.

Chairman.

ATTEST:

Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF GRAHAM, STATE OF ARIZONA, } ss.:

SAFFORD, ARIZONA,
March 9, 1916.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session pursuant to adjournment of March 7, 1916, at 9:00 o'clock.

Present: Geo. A. Foote, Chairman; Geo. A. Matthews, Member; James Quinn, Member; Martin Layton, Clerk.

The contract of Lutgerding & Eagan, for the erection and building of the new court house of Graham county, Arizona, was accepted and approved by the Board.

The Board requested the county attorney to furnish a quit claim deed to the Town of Safford, for the sum of Four Hundred and Fifty ($450.00) Dollars, for the following described property, to-wit:

Beginning at a point 565 feet North of the Southeast corner of Section 7, Township 7 South, range 26 East of the Gila and Salt River Meridian, and running thence West 278 feet; thence North 349.60 feet; thence East 278 feet; thence South 60 feet; thence West 218 feet; thence South 229.60 feet; thence East 218 feet; thence South 60 feet to point of beginning, and containing 1.082 acres.

No further business to be transacted, the Board adjourned sine die.

Chairman.

ATTEST:

Clerk.

Notice of Selection under Act of Congress, Approved June 20, 1910.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE AT PHOENIX, ARIZONA.
STATE OF ARIZONA

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the State of Arizona has filed in this office its Grant Selections, Lists Nos. 335 and 336, Serial Nos. 029766 and 029767, respectively, applying to select for the benefit of payment of bonds and accrued interest thereon of Maricopa, Pima, Yavapai and Coconino Counties, the following described lands, to-wit:

List No. 335, Serial No. 029766—In T. 9 S., R. 26 E.: SW ¼ NE ¼; W ½ SE ¼; SE ¼ SW ¼, Sec. 18.

List No. 336, Serial No. 029767—In T. 9 S., R. 32 E.: SE ¼ SE ¼, Sec. 4; SE ¼ NW ¼; SW ¼ NE ¼; NE ¼ SW ¼; NW ¼ SE ¼, Sec. 15.

(All in G. and S. R. M.)

During the five weeks' period of publication of this notice, or any time thereafter, and before final approval and certification, this office will receive protests or contests as to any of the tracts applied for and transmit the same to the General Land Office.

Dated at Phoenix, Arizona, March 20, 1916.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN,
Register U. S. Land Office.
JOHN J. BIRDNO,
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 014376

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, March 23, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Amelia Webb, of Pima, Arizona, who, on May 17, 1911, made desert land entry, No. 014376, for NW ¼ of the SW ¼, Section 3, Township 7 S., Range 24 E. G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final desert proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, Clerk of the Superior Court, at Safford, Arizona, on the 2d day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Joe Webb, C. Y. Webb, Eliza Mangrum, Ellen, Henry, all of Pima, Arizona.

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Notice is hereby given that Charles Coppock, of Fort Thomas, Arizona, who, on Sept. 15, 1914, made original homestead No. 025724; and Jan. 14, 1915, additional homestead, No. 026392, for SW ¼ SE ¼, Sec. 33, T. 4 S., R. 23 E., and Lot 2, SE ¼ NW ¼, SW ¼ NE ¼, Sec. 4, Township 5 S., Range 23 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, Clerk of the Superior Court, at Safford, Arizona, on the 20th day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Squire E. Reynolds, John H. McMurren, Seth M. Johnson, Wm. O. Tuttle, all of Fort Thomas, Arizona.

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U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, March 23, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Elmer R. Addington, of Bonita, Arizona, who, on April 14, 1909, made homestead entry, No. 05633, for NW ¼, Section 22, Township 10 S., Range 22 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before L. V. McCourt, U. S. Commissioner, at Willcox, Arizona, on the 2d day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John E. Shrode, Marvin W. Shrode, Ebb Smith, Lewis A. Teel, all of Bonita, Arizona.

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MANGUM ELECTED

The election for school trustee at Pima Saturday, resulted in J. H. Mangum being elected for the term of three years.

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Frank Wootan, Karl Wootan, Jy P. Sanford, Wiley Morgan, Drew Wilson and H. J. Dowdle were Klondyke visitors in town this week.

Watch This Space

The H. W. Brown Store is now run under the firm name of Brown's Toggery Shop. Call and see our new Spring and Summer Goods. We are preparing to meet your wants, with not the cheapest, but lowest priced goods in Safford.

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Folly Girls Will Show at Armory

As Manager Stevenson of the Folly Girls company received a wire yesterday from his New York agent advising him to cancel his El Paso engagement on account of the unsettled conditions on the border, he has a few days open and is going to bring his company into Safford for a two days' special engagement. He has one of the largest companies ever brought here, using twenty-five people and carrying a carload of scenery. The opening bill here will be "Madame Sherry," the play which ran for three hundred nights in New York. In Globe Monday night, the Folly Girls broke the house record for attendance at the Martin Theatre with this same play. The Arizona Record says of it "It is a real musical comedy company, a theatrical organization that is capable of, and does, stage the best productions in the American theatrical world in a most satisfactory manner."

Madame Sherry will be shown here Sunday, April 9th, and on Monday night the Folly Girls will put on that well-known laugh comedy, "What Happened to Jones."

Reserved seats on sale at The Palms, beginning tomorrow (Saturday) morning.

UNION CHURCH

A large crowd attended services last Sunday at the Union Church, and, as usual, Rev. Horene gave the people something to think about. The church was beautifully decorated with roses, which were brought by the Sunday School children.

At eleven o'clock the Safford company, National Guard of Arizona, filed in, two abreast, led by Captain E. H. Roach. The militia men entered heartily into the service, taking part in the singing, scripture reading and silent prayer. Mrs. McNeal and Mrs. La Vaque rendered two beautiful solos.

The contract to repair the church has been let to Mr. Dever and work will begin at once. The church will be plastered and painted inside and out. New stained glass windows will replace the old ones. Cement steps will be placed in front of the church. CHURCH REPORTER.

LADIES' UNION CIRCLE

The Ladies' Union Circle will hold its regular meeting Monday afternoon, at 3:00 o'clock, at the Union Church. All ladies interested in this work are requested to attend.

See By Smith's dance schedule in this week's issue of GUARDIAN.

SOCIETY NEWS

Mrs. W. O. Beltz entertained the Prescilla Club at the home of Mrs. Harry DuBois on N street, Monday afternoon. The house was beautifully decorated in pink rose buds and ferns.

The ladies spent the afternoon in sewing and social conversation.

Delicious refreshments were served, consisting of banana specials, angel food cake, coffee and devil food cake.

The invited guests were: Mrs. H. A. Ahlbrandt, Mrs. F. T. Coleman, of San Carlos; Mrs. Ralph Burton, Mrs. John Burton, of Douglas; Mrs. Harry Dubois, Mrs. Wm. Rose, of Phoenix.

Monday evening, Mrs. G. L. Horene entertained the teachers of the Grammar and High School at a "movie party."

After the show the jolly crowd repaired to the The Palms, where dainty refreshments were served and enjoyed under the sweet strains of music from the Victrola.

Will Trade for Auto

Will trade three acres of land under good ditch for an automobile. Prefer a Ford roadster. E. A. CRAWFORD, Thatcher.
adv-8-2t

Masquerade Dance

The Woman's Club will give a masquerade dance tomorrow (Saturday) night, April 8, 1916, at the Armory. Tickets, $1.00. Spectators, 10 cents. All ladies en masque admitted free.

For Sale

Or will trade for milch cows, one span four-year-old Percheron mares (black), weight, 1,300 pounds. Write Box 40, Geronimo, Arizona. adv-8-1t

REPUBLICANS, ATTENTION!

The Graham County Republican Central Committee and all republican electors of Graham county are requested to attend a meeting to be held Saturday evening, April 15th, at Council Chambers, Safford.

This meeting is called for the purpose of determing how the delegates to the Republican State Convention, which will be held at Tucson, May 6, 1916, will be selected, whether by primary election, convention or mass meeting.

Graham county is entitled to nine delegates.

LEE N. STRATTON.
Chairman Graham County Republican Central Committee.
adv-7-2t

S. S. Campbell, accompanied by Mrs. Campbell and his sister, Mrs. G. Herbey, left Wednesday morning for Omaha, Neb.

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